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SUBJECT Reported Production of New Army Jeep, GAZ-69, at the  
Gorki Automobile Factory.PLACE ACQUIRED  
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1. "Since early in 1953 the Gorki Automobile Factory in the town of Gorki has provided the Soviet Army with a new automobile of 'high practicability' (vysokaia prokhodimost) called the GAZ-69. The GAZ-69 is a perfected version of the GAZ-67, a kind of jeep.
2. The GAZ-69 is manufactured for the army in three versions: (a) Commander's car - for five persons (b) Commando car - for eight persons (c) transport car - for a load of 1953 kg.
3. "The official technical data concerning the GAZ-69 are as follows:

4-cylinder motor running on gasoline, of 55 HP;  
 maximum velocity on automobile roads: 90 km per hour;  
 average economical velocity: 50-70 km per hour;  
 velocity on field roads: 30-40 km per hour;  
 drags a trailer of 300 kg;  
 useful load - 1535 kg;  
 length - 3.35 m;  
 breadth - 1.85 m

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